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MICHIGAN BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC JULY 11, 2013 MEETING

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Chiropractic met in regular session on July 11, 2013 in the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

CALL TO ORDER

Thomas Klapp, DC, Chairperson called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Thomas Klapp, DC, Chairperson
Christophe Dean, DC
Constance Erskine, Public Member
Robert Huta, Public Member
Lewis Squires, DC
Ronald Wilcox, Jr., DC
Julann Vittone, Public Member

Members Absent: Donald Reno, DC, Vice Chairperson
Mark Stuart, Public Member

Staff Present: Amy Schneider, Policy, Rules and Board Support Section
Norene Lind, Board Manager, Policy, Rules and Board Support Section
John Wright, Assistant Attorney General
Joseph Yang, Departmental Analyst, Health Care Information Unit
Stacy Noel, Continuing Education, Licensing Division

Others Present: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Vittone, seconded by Wilcox, to approve the May 9, 2013 meeting minutes as presented.

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MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Dean, seconded by Vittone, to approve the agenda with the following addition: Item A. "Pre-approved CE" under New Business.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Continuing Education Review

Dean directed the Board to the list of Continuing Education programs. See Addendum #1 attached hereto.

MOTION by Vittone, seconded by Squires, to accept the CE programs as presented.

Discussion was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Chairperson's Report

Klapp discussed receiving complaints from Physical Therapists (PTs) about Chiropractors advertising "physiotherapy" services. He stated that Chiropractors who are practicing outside of their scope of practice are in violation of the Public Health Code (PHC), as well those Chiropractors who are using terms protected by the PT section of the PHC. Lind suggested that if a person suspects a violation of the code, they can file a complaint with the Bureau.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Pre-approved CE

Klapp reminded Board members that starting January 2014, the Board of Chiropractic will meet (4) four times a year instead of (6) six. Additional meetings could be added as necessary, as long as they are posted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act.

Dean questioned whether or not a reduction of Chiropractic Board meetings from (6) six to (4) four meetings a year would place a burden on entities applying for CE approval. Noel informed that programs would be approved retroactively at the next scheduled Board meeting, as long as the application was submitted 60 days prior to the program date. Hence, the new meeting schedule should not be problematic.

The Teaching of Subluxation – Required by CCE accreditation standards

Klapp reported to the Department that 3-4 out-of-state chiropractic schools have discontinued the teaching of Subluxation. He stated that because the teaching of Subluxation is required by CCE accreditation standards, failure to teach the subject would jeopardize a school's CCE accreditation. Lind verified that Subluxation is included in the CCE accreditation standards and that our rules require applicants for Chiropractic licensure to have graduated from a CCE-accredited program. She has shared this issue and the CCE standards with the Licensing Division Director, as well as the Bureau's Deputy Director. She will keep the Board apprised any action the Bureau takes regarding to this situation.

Department Update

Lind noted that the restricted use of titles related to Physical Therapy (i.e. physiotherapy) could be found in MCL 333.17820(2).

PUBLIC COMMENT


Wilcox attended a professional meeting, and he expressed appreciation for how Michigan operates its Board.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held September 19, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 1, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Huta, seconded by Vittone, to adjourn the meeting at 10:33 a.m.



Thomas Klapp, DC, Chairperson

9/19/2013

Date Minutes Approved



Amy Schneider, Board Secretary

7.11.13

Date Minutes Prepared

Addendum #1

**CHIROPRACTIC CONTINUING EDUCATION REVIEW
July 11, 2013**

APPROVED PROGRAMS

THE WISE DC.COM – Adjunctive Physiotherapy Procedures (15 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 – April 20, 2014 for 15 hours.

RECOMMENDATION: 15 HOURS

THE WISE DC.COM – Ancillary Diagnostic Testing Procedures (15 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 – April 20, 2014 for 15 hours.

RECOMMENDATION: 15 HOURS

THE WISE DC.COM – Chiropractic Sports Medicine (15 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 through April 20, 2014 for 15 hours.

RECOMMENDATION: 15 HOURS

THE WISE DC.COM – Professional Boundaries, Ethics & Pain Mgt (5 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 through April 20, 2014 for 5 hours with 1 hour in sexual boundaries; 2 hours in ethics & 2 hours in pain management.

RECOMMENDATION: 5 HOURS WITH 1 HOUR IN SEXUAL BOUNDARIES; 2 HOURS IN ETHICS & 2 HOURS IN PAIN MANAGEMENT

THE WISE DC.COM – Adjunctive Physiotherapy Procedures (10 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 through April 20, 2014 for 10 hours.

RECOMMENDATION: 10 HOURS

THE WISE DC.COM – Ancillary Diagnostic Testing Procedures (10 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 through April 20, 2014 for 10 hours.

RECOMMENDATION: 10 HOURS

THE WISE DC.COM – Chiropractic Sports Medicine (10 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 through April 20, 2014 for 10 hours.

RECOMMENDATION: 10 HOURS

THE WISE DC.COM – Sports Injuries (10 hr) an online activity held April 20, 2013 through April 20, 2014 for 10 hours.

RECOMMENDATION: 10 HOURS

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF CHIROPRACTORS – 2013 UP Convention held August 24-25, 2013 in Marquette MI for 15 hours with 1 hour in practice management; 7 hours in adjusting techniques; 1 hour in pain management; 1 hour in sexual boundaries; 2 hours in physical measures; 2 hours in performing/ordering tests & 1 hour in ethics.

RECOMMENDATION: 15 HOURS WITH 1 HR IN PRACTICE MANAGEMENT; 7 HRS IN ADJUSTING TECHNIQUES; 1 HR IN PAIN MGT; 1 HR IN SEXUAL BOUNDARIES; 2 HRS IN PHYSICAL MEASURES; 2 HRS IN PERFORMING/ORDERING TESTS & 1 HR IN ETHICS

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF CHIROPRACTORS – Contact Reflex Analysis & Function Neurology held July 18, 2013 in Petoskey MI for 10 hours with 2 hours performing/ordering tests.

RECOMMENDATION: 10 HOURS WITH 2 HOURS IN PERFORMING/ORDERING TESTS

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF CHIROPRACTORS – Electronic Health Records Webinar an online activity held July 11, 2013 – December 31, 2013 for 2 hours in practice management.
RECOMMENDATION: 2 HOURS IN PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

SEMINARS IN CHIROPRACTIC RESEARCH – Chiropractic Research: The Year in Review held October 12-13, 2013 in Detroit MI for 15 hours with 4 hours in adjusting techniques; 5 hours in pain management; 1 hour in sexual boundaries; 2 hours in physical measures; 2 hours in performing/ordering tests & 1 hour in ethics.

RECOMMENDATION: 15 HOURS WITH 4 HRS IN ADJUSTING TECHNIQUES; 5 HRS IN PAIN MGT; 1 HR IN SEXUAL BOUNDARIES; 2 HRS IN PHYSICAL MEASURES; 2 HRS IN PERFORMING/ORDERING TESTS & 1 HR IN ETHICS.